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Defense Freedom of Information Division
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To Whom It May Concern:

Pursuant to the Freedom of Information Act, I hereby request the following records:

I would like to access all the documents related to the Operation Tomodachi or the US disaster relief operation after Fukushima Daiichi Nuclear Power Plant meltdown in 2011.

I am a Japanese journalist of the Asahi Shimbun newspaper, and I am requesting a fee waiver.

I have written several articles on the issue on Asahi Shimbun.

I also published recently an Amazon-Japan bestselling book titled "Soldiers Left Behind (Hyoryu suru Tomodachi)," which is about the Operation Tomodachi.

The requested documents will be made available to the general public, and this request is not being made for commercial purposes.

In the event that there are fees, I would be grateful if you would inform me of the total charges in advance of fulfilling my request. I would prefer the request filled electronically, by e-mail attachment if available or CD-ROM if not.

Thank you in advance for your anticipated cooperation in this matter. I look forward to receiving your response to this request within 20 business days, as the statute requires.

Sincerely,

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